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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

Donie et al.

Serial No: 09/423,863

Filed: February 8, 2000

For: Process For The Detection of HIV
Antibodies And Antigens Use In It

Examiner: Bao Q. Li

Group Art Unit: 1648

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
Box AF
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated December 3, 2001 for a period of 2 month(s).

- ☒ Applicant is:
- ☐ a small entity, verified statement is:
 - ☐ attached
 - ☐ already filed
 - ☒ other than small entity

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	<u>Extension Months</u>	<u>Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Two Months	\$400.00	\$200.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three Months	\$920.00	\$460.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four Months	\$1,440.00	\$720.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Five Months	\$1,960.00	\$980.00

Fee Payment

- ☒ Attached is a check for \$400.00 for the Petition fee.
- ☐ Charge \$_____ Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.
- ☐ Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.


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Respectfully submitted,

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

Dated: May 3, 2002


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